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Sir:

This paper is being filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination. This paper is responsive to the Final Office Action dated December 8, 2006 in response to which a Notice of Appeal was filed on June 7, 2007. Applicants hereby petition for a Four-Month Extension of time, making this paper due by December 7, 2007. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

In view of the amendments and remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.